

## **Required Bathing Beach Lifesaving Equipment**

Lifesaving equipment shall be readily accessible at all bathing beaches and include the following:

- First aid kit - any commercially available 24-unit kit, or a minimum supply of band aids, bandage compresses, and self-adhering gauze bandages
- Rescue board or lifeboat
- Rescue tube or torpedo buoy for each lifeguard on duty
- Spine board, minimum size 6 feet long and 16 inches wide, with at least 10 hand holds and straps to hold and immobilize a victim
- Pocket face mask with a backflow prevention valve to assist with CPR
- Each lifeguard stand shall be equipped with a whistle or megaphone, and an umbrella or sunshade.

All safety equipment shall have its function plainly marked, and shall be kept in ready condition.